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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents.
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--- Charlotte, NC-July 18, 2005

Dear Sir.

This amendment is in response to the final Office Action dated February 17, 2005. Enclosed is (a) a 2-month Petition for extension of time with credit card form.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 4 of this paper.

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